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New Bedford School Committee to Hold Two Public Forums to Gain Additional Community Input

New Bedford, Massachusetts- The New Bedford School Committee announced today another avenue for the public to express their opinions and suggestions on the qualities they feel the new superintendent should possess, as well as their overall vision for the school department. The School Committee has scheduled two community forums at the Keith Middle School on Monday, November 5th, at 6:00 PM and on Monday, December 10th, at 6:00 PM. Any person who attends a forum will be able to publicly address the Committee.

Last week, the Superintendent Search Committee announced a schedule of nine focus groups where teachers, parents, and other interested community members can participate in a dialogue about the search, selection and hiring of a new Superintendent of New Bedford Public Schools. In the coming weeks, a survey will be made available online giving each community member every opportunity to convey his or her opinions and ideas to the New Bedford School Committee. The two community forums announced today are another opportunity for New Bedford residents to offer input in the search for a new Superintendent of Schools.

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